

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A method for forming a prosthesis comprising:
forming a first tube;
forming a second tube having first and second ends, said second tube including ePTFE;
twisting said second tube by rotating said first end relative to said second end~~into a helical configuration;~~
maintaining said second tube in said ~~helical~~twisted configuration;
coaxially disposing said second tube relative to said first tube; and,
fixing said second tube to said first tube.
2. (Original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said first tube includes ePTFE.
3. (Canceled).
4. (Original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said fixing includes sintering.
5. (Original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said fixing includes bonding.
6. (Currently amended) A method as in claim 1, wherein said first tube includes first and second ends, and wherein said method further comprising twisting said first tube in a helical configuration by rotating said first end of said first tube relative to said second end of said first tube, said first end of said first tube being rotated in a rotational direction relative to said second end of said first tube different from the rotational direction of the rotating of said first end ~~said helical configuration~~ of said second tube relative to said second end of said second tube.

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7. (Original) A method as in claim 1, further comprising coaxially disposing a radially-expandable support member relative to said first tube or said second tube.
8. (Original) A method as in claim 1, further comprising coaxially disposing a radially-expandable support member relative to said fixed first and second tubes.